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E.O. 11652: GDS 12/31/80

TAGS: PFOR, NATO, MOPS

SUBJECT: NAVAL ON -CALL FORCE MEDITERRANEAN (NAVOCFORMED) VISITS  
TO NON-NATO PORTS

RF: A. USNATO 3530

B. USNATO 2794

THIS MESSAGE TRANSMITS TEXT OF LETTER DATED JUNE 5, 1974  
A COPY OF WHICH MISSION JUST RECEIVED, FROM SYG LUNS TO THE CHAIRMAN  
OF THE MILITARY COMMITTEE. IN VIEW OF CONTENTS, MISSION NO  
LONGER REQUIRES GUIDANCE REQUESTED REFS A AND B. BEGIN TEXT:

IN REPLY TO YOUR LETTER OF 17TH MAY (CMC-67-74) I AM  
WRITING TO INFORM YOU THAT YESTERDAY I TOOK THE NECESSARY  
SOUNDINGS WITH AMBASSADORS, ON THE MILITARY COMMITTEE'S  
SUGGESTION, FOR VISITS TO TUNIS, SPLIT AND MALTA DURING THE  
NINTH ACTIVATION OF NAVOCFORMED.

I AM SORRY TO INFORM YOU THAT THE CONSENSUS OF AMBASSADORS  
REMAINS FOR THE TIME BEING AGAINST ANY SUCH VISITS, AND I  
ACCORDINGLY BELIEVE THAT THE MATTER SHOULD NOT BE CARRIED ANY  
FURTHER. IT FOLLOWS THAT PRESENTLY I AM NOT IN A POSITION TO  
SUGGEST ANY ALTERNATIVE FOR NON-NATO PORT VISITS. END TEXT  
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